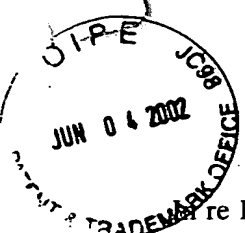


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REQUEST FOR RESTART OF OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a restart of the Office Action dated May 15, 2002 (Paper No. 6). In the Office Action, the Examiner stated that claims 13-21 are pending. However, Applicants respectfully submit that a Preliminary Amendment filed March 6, 2002, added new claims 22-54. Also, a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was filed. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner restart the period for response and include claims 22-54 in the Office Action as well as consider the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. A copy of the Supplemental Preliminary Amendment, Information Disclosure Statement and stamped postcard is enclosed.

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